

**AMOTHERBY COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**www.amotherby.n-yorks.sch.uk**  
**NEWSLETTER 24<sup>th</sup> November 2017**

**Road Safety Week** 'Speed Down Save Lives' We have been following the road safety campaign in school this week making sure children know how and where to cross roads safely. Our Road Safety Officers (Annabel and Max) have been busy organising a poster competition, closing date **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November**, there's a chance to win lots of goodies! Our Road Safety officer from county is coming into school next week to work with our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes.

**Athletics Tournament** Thank you to all the children in Years 5 and 6 for taking part in this event on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at Malton Sports Hall. We came 2<sup>nd</sup> out of 8 schools, Mr Baggaley would like to give a special mention to Kyle and Beatrice who won their events.

**Illness** We seem to have a few children off with sickness in various classes throughout school. Please keep your child off school for 48 hours since the last bout of sickness.

**Christmas Raffle Tickets** thank you to those parents who have paid money for Raffle tickets via parent pay please can we remind you to send in the stubs to the admin office as those will be entered into the draw. We need any unsold tickets returned to the Admin Office by **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December** and stubs returned by **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**. The draw will take place in the school hall on **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December** at 3pm.

**Friday Fitness Fever** Thank you to all parents and children for supporting Friday Fitness with Andy Gamble and Mr Baggaley. When conditions are unsuitable on the playground we will move into the hall!!! See you next Friday !

**Twitter** Please check out our twitter account Amotherby CP @ Amotherby S for up to date school activities.

**Operation Christmas Child shoebox – Samaritan's Purse**

We are sending leaflets home tonight to support this appeal. If you want to donate a whole shoebox or just single items please drop them into Meadowfield by **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November**. Any little amount will help!!

**School Direct Programme**

If you are interested in becoming a teacher and want to gain a PCGE with QTS qualification from Leeds Trinity University please call 01423 866207 or [www.northstaralliance.org.uk](http://www.northstaralliance.org.uk)

**Class Assemblies** All family and friends are invited to come and share class celebrations of work and achievements. Children are invited to bring in achievements from home (please note the change to the Year 6 Assembly). Assemblies start promptly at 2.30pm.

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November -Class 6

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December – Class 5

**Dates for Diaries – Please be aware some dates may change or be added**

**November**

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> – Last week of after school clubs

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> - Rugby Tournament

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 Class Assembly

**December**

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> - Grandparents' Christmas Craft Afternoon 1.15pm

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> – Both Christmas Productions 1pm

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> – Year 3 and 4 Christmas Production 6.30pm

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> – Reception, Year 1 and 2 Christmas Production 6.30pm

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Lunch

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> – Carol Service

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Grand Raffle 3pm

**January**

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> – School Starts

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> – New Year school Disco 6.30pm-8pm

Sue Knowles (Head)